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## THE GREEK EXECUTIONS.

M. Venizelos Approved of Them.

## BRITISH PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, November 30. In the House of Commons, in the course of a discussion of the Greek executions, yesterday, it was suggested that letters from British Ministers existed proving the British Government's encouragement of the executed Ministers' campaign in Asia Minor.

The *Manchester Guardian's* Lausanne correspondent states that M. Venizelos throughout resisted the British suggestions that he should intervene at Athens to prevent the executions, which he considered were justified.

He absented himself from the conference yesterday, because the executions adversely affected Greece's prospects at the conference. The question of his resignation from the conference is still undecided, but it is evident that it will have nothing to do with the executions.

Questions in Parliament.

London, November 30.

The subject of British representations to prevent the Greek executions was again raised in the House of Commons to-day, when Mr. Bonar Law after replying that the Government had not taken a similar step in the case of Erskine Childers, stated that the Government withdraw its representative from Greece because it was actuated by the general consideration that it was contrary to the practice of civilized governments to put to death outgoing Ministers on account of the failure of their policy. (Loud laughter.)

Further Arrests.

Athens, November 30.

Generals Papoulias, Dousmanis and Valaitas have been arrested.

## SCRAPPING OF WARSHIPS.

America's Position Defined.

Washington, November 30.

The State Department points out that so far as the United States Government is aware, no country which was a signatory to the Washington Treaty has begun scrapping warships, and declares the United States has no authority to comply with the terms of the treaty beyond suspending the construction of new ships.

## THE WATCH ON THE RHINE.

American Troops Stay On.

New York, November 30.

The State Department has announced that despite the wish of the Government to bring back the American troops from the Rhine, they will remain there for the present owing to important reasons connected with foreign affairs.

This announcement is read here as being in connection with the decisions relating to the Ruhr reported from Paris, which the French Embassy at Washington has officially denied.

## ALLIED PREMIERS TO CONFER.

Will Discuss Reparations Problems.

London, November 30.

A meeting of the British, French, Italian and Belgian Premiers with a view to reaching a common policy as regards the impending Brussels reparations conference has been fixed for London on December 9.

The discussion will centre on France's new reparations proposals and the inter-Allied war debts.

The French papers declare the Brussels conference must be cancelled if the Allies do not reach a preliminary agreement.

## EGYPTIAN MINISTRY RESIGNS.

A. Pro-Zaglul King.

Cairo, November 30.

The Sarwat Pasha Ministry has resigned apparently owing to differences with the King, who recently openly manifested Zaglulist sympathies.

Tewfik Nessim Pasha, ex-Premier and head of the King's Cabinet, who is believed to have supported the Zaglulists, is forming a new Cabinet.

## AUSTRIAN TREASURY BONDS.

Vienna, November 30.

The Government is about to issue six million gold dollars' worth of eight per cent. Treasury Bonds.

The customs and tobacco monopoly receipts will be assigned as security for repayment, which will be effected from the first instalment of national credits.

## M.C.C.'S EASY VICTORY.

Queenstown (S. Africa), November 30.

The M.C.C. compiled 242, Jupp contributing 89.

The North Eastern eleven made forty-four in their second knock; Fender taking four wickets for only two runs.

The M.C.C. won by an innings and 145.

## LOWER RAILWAY FREIGHTS.

London, November 30.

The railways announce a reduction in the rates on raw materials used in making iron and steel.

The new rates vary from a shilling to eight shillings a ton above pre-war rates.

## FURTHER DUBLIN EXECUTIONS.

London, November 30.

Army headquarters in Dublin announce that three Dublin men were executed this morning, one for possession of a revolver and two for possession of bombs.

## SMALLPOX IN ENGLAND.

London, November 30.

It was announced in the House of Commons that hitherto there have been 893 cases of smallpox in fifty-seven districts outside London and seven London boroughs.

## RUBBER BOOM.

Manufacturers Buying Heavily.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, Dec. 1. The week has seen a strong rise in the rubber market, the latest London cables quoting 12½d. steady.

Manufacturers are buying heavily in London, but so far there is no great reduction in stocks, owing to heavy shipments prior to restriction.

## SINGAPORE SCOTS.

Annual Ball a Great Success.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, Dec. 1. Seven hundred guests attended the St. Andrew's Ball here last night. The function was a great success.

## ARMED ROBBERS.

Yaumati Shop Ransacked. Three men, two being armed with revolvers, entered a grocery shop at No. 439 Reclamation Street, Yaumati, yesterday, just before it was being closed up for the night, and held up the accountant and his folks. They bundled them into a room, where, after being bound, gagged and covered up with sacking, they were left while the gang ransacked the place and stole from the safe a sum of over a hundred dollars, which, coupled with other property stolen, meant a loss of \$182.30 for the shop. The robbers escaped.

## THE FULL COURT.

To Sit on Wednesday.

The Full Court will sit on Wednesday, Dec. 6th. The Judges will be Chief Justice (Sir Wm. Rees-Davies), Mr. Justice Skinner Turner and the Puisne Judge (Mr. H. H. J. Gompertz). Mr. Skinner Turner is on his way back to Shanghai from leave by the Kama Maru. He will break his journey at Hongkong in order to attend the Full Court, and is expected to arrive on Tuesday.

There is only one case. Mr. H. M. H. Nemazee is appealing against an order made by the Chief Justice in favour of the Yu Fong Steamship Company, allowing execution to be issued on an arbitration award.

## A SIKH'S THUMB PRINT.

Defendant Admits Debt.

In a promissory note case between two Sikhs at the Summary Court, before Mr. Justice Gompertz on Wednesday, the defendant denied his signature and thumb print on the note, taken at the time the money was lent. The man's thumb impression was taken in Court, but when the Judge compared the two he was apparently not satisfied and sent them to the C.S.P. with the intention of having a report made. The case was adjourned, his Honour ordering that in the meantime defendant be kept in custody.

The case came up again this morning and defendant admitted the claim. Judgment was entered for plaintiff accordingly.

## P. & O. KHYBER UNDAMAGED.

London, November 30.

It has been ascertained that the P. & O. ss. Khyber was not damaged by the Marseilles fire mentioned yesterday.

## AMSTERDAM BOURSE BARS FOREIGNERS.

Amsterdam, November 30.

The Stockbrokers' Association has decided almost unanimously not to admit foreign traders and bankers to the bourse.

(Other Telegrams on Pages 2 and 3.)

## THE SCOTS BALL.

Last Night's Brilliant Gathering.

## A HUGE SUCCESS.

Last night's Ball—the great event of the year for local Scots—passed off in a manner not a whit less successful than that of its predecessors. It was conducted by perfect arrangement, and a happy spirit of enjoyment. It seemed to the writer that there was less formality than used to be a concomitant of Balls a few years ago, that everybody was whole-heartedly entering into the spirit of conviviality, and that the function gained very much in enjoymentableness thereby.

If the decorations were not so lavish or expensive a few years ago, they were charming in their simplicity, the predominant blue and white hues of Scotland lending themselves to a very appealing colour scheme. Mr. George Duncan, without whom St. Andrew's Ball would be incomplete, had made a brave display of the material at his disposition. One of the most attractive features of the decorations was the Baropial Hall at the foot of the main stairway, for which Mr. J. Simpson, the designer, earned much praise. It might be mentioned that Mr. D. G. M. Bernard lent the deer's heads. Messrs. Wm. Powell the pictures, the Hongkong Hotel the grandfather's clock and Messrs. Nikko the beautiful vases.

In the matter of music, the hall was well up to the standard of for over years. The pipers and drummers, all in national dress, played for the Scottish dances, and the orchestra of the Hongkong Hotel provided the other dance music to the satisfaction of all. Owing to the late arrival of His Excellency the Governor, and the delay in the dancing programme, some of the dances were on the short side, but this was the only criticism possible by even the most carping critic.

The ceremonial entry of the Chief (Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen) and the guests of honour was a picture-sque opening to the evening's programme, although no fewer than three extra dances had been danced upstairs previously. Headed by the pipers, the procession made its way upstairs to the dais in St. George's Hall, its arrival being marked by the playing of "God Save the King." The official set of Lancers was danced and the Ball was in full swing.

The Supper.

After the eighth dance supper was partaken of. The official supper party was escorted to the table by the pipers in the customary manner. The arrangement of the table on the stage, in the form of a huge St. Andrew's Cross, was one of the most striking designs of the whole decorative scheme. The Chieftain, fairly early in the supper, proposed the health of His Majesty, after which he asked the Hon. Secretary (Mr. D. K. Blair) to read the messages sent and received by the Society. A feature of the supper was the ceremonial attending the bringing in of the Haggis, which was carried by Mr. J. B. Ross, and piped in by Piper Tallon, whilst Mr. J. Soutar took round the Barley Bree. A splendid menu was provided, the catering being most efficiently done by the Hongkong Hotel.

Nagasaki—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Nagasaki Brither Scots heartily reciprocated greetings—Guy.

Foochow—Greetings heartily reciprocated.

Tsingtao—Greetings from Jock Tamson's Bairns.

The Immortal Memory.

The Chieftain, continuing, said: To all of these we have replied broadcast in a sentence to which all Scottish men here to-night will of course subscribe, and I would hope that our guests, warmed with the Haggis, and perhaps a little whisky and thrilled by the music of the pipes, will also sympathise with it. The sentence is "Scotland for Ever."

ever, Chief Stephen,"—to Brither Scots at Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Rangoon, Kuala Lumpur, Penang, Singapore, Bangkok, Manila, Iloilo, Cebu, Sandakan, Swatow, Canton, Amoy, Foochow, Shanghai, Chefoo, Tsinan, Hankow, Taipeh, Tsinchow, Peking, Kobe, Yokohama, and Nagasaki; and the following reply:

Penang—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Greetings from over the sea. Alastair Campbell.

Sandakan—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Sandakan Scots.

Malacca—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Olphant and Mitchell on board Mentor.

Shanghai—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Fraternal greetings from Shanghai Scots.

Bangkok—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Brither Scots.

London—Chieftain Stephen Hongkong. Greetings best wishes Holyroak.

Kuala Lumpur—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Selangor Scots Chieftain.

Peking—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Peking Scots send greetings Brither Scots.

Singapore—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Singapore Brither Scots send heartiest greetings from Brither Scots.

Batavia—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Batavia Scots.

Macall Chieftain.

Rangoon—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Rangoon Scots.

Aspinwall—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Aspinwall Scots.

Amoy—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Greetings from Amoy.

Iloilo—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. President Mai and Brother Scots in Iloilo send greetings—Davie Secretary.

Tientsin—Secretary St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. May

Macau—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Macau.

Penang—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Penang.

Bangkok—Stephen Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Bangkok.

Hankow—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Hankow Scots Skinner President.

Kobe—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Chief Reid and Brither Scots send heartiest greetings.

Yokohama—Chieftain St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. Heartily greetings from Brothers Scots Gowans President.

Shameen—President St. Andrew's Society Hongkong. There's

cauld Kail in Aberdeen and castocks in Strathbeg but nothing drives awa the spleen sae

weels a social cogie heres to you Canton Scotsmen.

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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS

## TROUBLE IN WEST THRACE.

London, Nov. 30. The Times correspondent at Constantinople telegraphs that the situation in Western Thrace is graver. The insurgents are said to be masters of the situation.

An armed band of 5,000, with machine-guns is moving southwards towards Dodeagatch, demanding a plebiscite.

There are signs of trouble brewing in Western Thrace. The Turkish reports of simultaneous revolt in three places have been hitherto largely discredited, but the "New Orient Express" has been derailed between Adrianople and Luleburgas, which points to serious disturbances.

## U. S. SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Washington, Nov. 30.

Mr. Jones, Chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, has called a meeting for Monday next to begin consideration of the ship Subsidy Bill. The Bill will probably be presented to the Senate at an early date.

London, Nov. 30.

It is reported from Washington that the House of Representatives, before passing the Shipping Subsidy Bill, amended it so that the amount for subsidy purposes must be voted annually.

Doubt is expressed whether the Senate will be able to pass the Bill before the adjournment on December 3, owing to the persistent continuation of the Democratic filibuster against the Dyer Anti-Lynching Bill.

There is believed to be a possibility of the formation of a new political bloc Party, indicated in the announcement—that a Progressive Conference is convened for to-morrow at which thirteen Senators and twenty-six members of the House of Representatives are expected to be present. The Conference was convened by Senator Lafollette and Republican Representative Huddleston.

## THE LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

Lausanne, Nov. 30.

It is noteworthy that M. Venizelos was absent from the Conference to-day.

The attitude of the Turks has stiffened since the arrival of the Russians.

It is understood, however, that the Allies have decided to adhere to their decision to admit the Russians only to discussions on questions wherein they are directly interested.

The First Commission, after a long debate, adopted the report of the Sub-Commission, providing for the partial demilitarisation of the Southern Aegean Islands, the Turks making reservation in favour of more complete demilitarisation. The question of the four Northern Islands will be discussed with the whole question of the Straits.

## THE CENSURE OF GREECE.

Paris, Nov. 30.

It is stated that the French Government will not recall the Minister at Athens.

Athens, Nov. 30.

The First Secretary of the British Legation remains to carry on administrative work.

The newspapers state that the head of the British Naval Mission is departing, leaving a deputy.

Paris, Nov. 30.

It is reported from Belgrade that the King of Greece energetically tried to prevent the executions. Afterwards he expressed a desire to leave the country, but Government took steps to prevent him leaving the Palace, where he is now a prisoner.

## OIL IN PALESTINE.

Washington, Nov. 30.

The State Department denies the report that it made special efforts to aid the Standard Oil Company to obtain oil rights in Palestine. It declared that the only action in this connection concerns the Mandate Notes, requesting equal opportunities in mandated territories.

Regarding Palestine, it only gave such help as would be given any American citizen to secure British recognition of a Company's legal rights.

## U. S. RESERVE BOARD REPORT.

Washington, Nov. 30.

The monthly Report of the Federal Reserve Board states that the past month has been one of substantial increases in productive activity in basic industries. The largest mill consumption of cotton for the last two years is reported. The woolen and silk mills are approaching capacity. Employment has increased mainly through increased hours of labour and the prices realised for farm products. Clothing is higher than it has been for a year.

## NEW TRADE FACILITIES BILL.

London, Nov. 30.

It is understood that the Government has decided to introduce a new Trade Facilities Bill, under which £50,000,000 will be available for guarantees covering large schemes and will provide work. It is also proposed to extend the Export's credit scheme.

## SIR RONALD MACLEAY.

London, Nov. 30.

Sir Ronald Macleay, H. B. M. Minister to Peking, was entertained to dinner last night by the members of the British Group in the China Consortium. Sir Charles Addis presided.

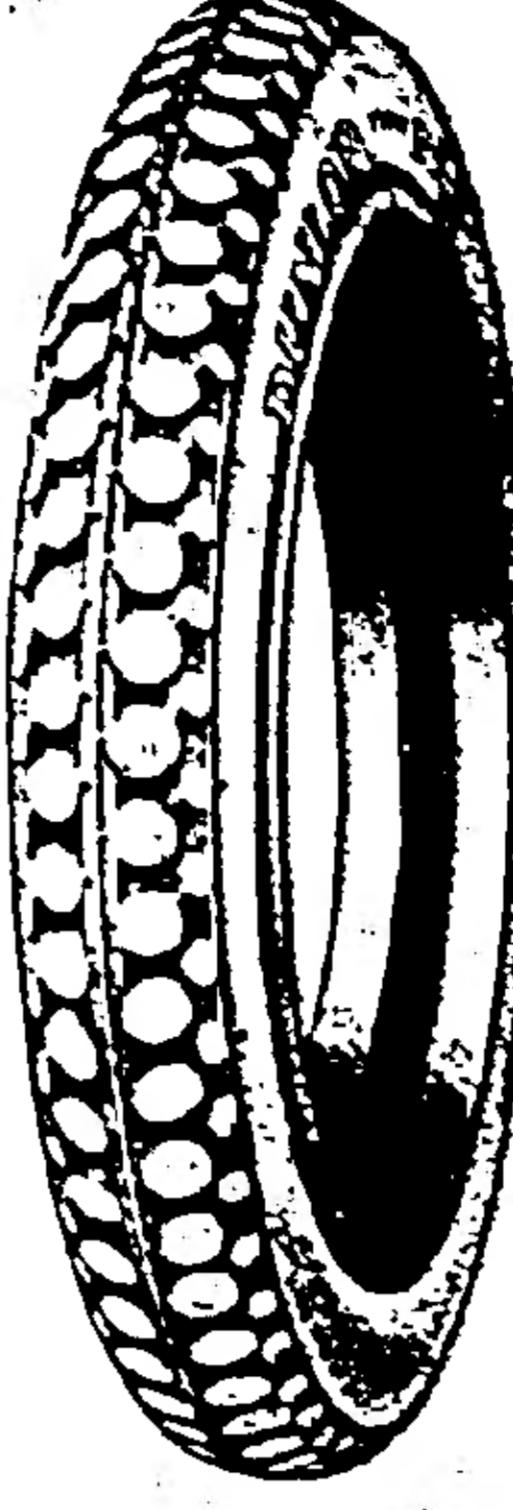
## THE EXCHANGE MARKET.

London, Nov. 30.

French francs closed to-day at 65.40, Belgian at 70.85. German marks were quoted at 36.500.

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## POLITICS IN PEKING.

## China's New Premier.

Peking, Nov. 30.—Mr. Wang Tah-hsien, the acting Premier, assumed office this morning. Most of the Ministers were present. The Cabinet will hold its first meeting this afternoon, when a circular telegram will be drafted. The message will announce the formation of the Cabinet and will appeal to the Provinces for support. Mr. Wang Tah-hsien was summoned to the Presidential Palace at 2 p.m. yesterday only. By 4 p.m. he had convened to form a Cabinet. Thereupon, Mandates were immediately drafted. The Mandate, relieving Mr. Lo Wen-kan of office was differently worded to the others. It merely announced: "Mr. Lo Wen-kan is hereby relieved of office."—Reuter.

## NEW CUSTOMS TARIFF.

Peking, Nov. 30.—The Japanese Legation, yesterday, notified the Waichiau-pu of its approval of an effective 5 per cent. Customs Tariff, in accordance with the rates fixed by the Shanghai Commission.

The consent of Italy alone has yet to be obtained.—Reuter.

## WHEN CHILDREN GRIND THEIR TEETH IN SLEEP

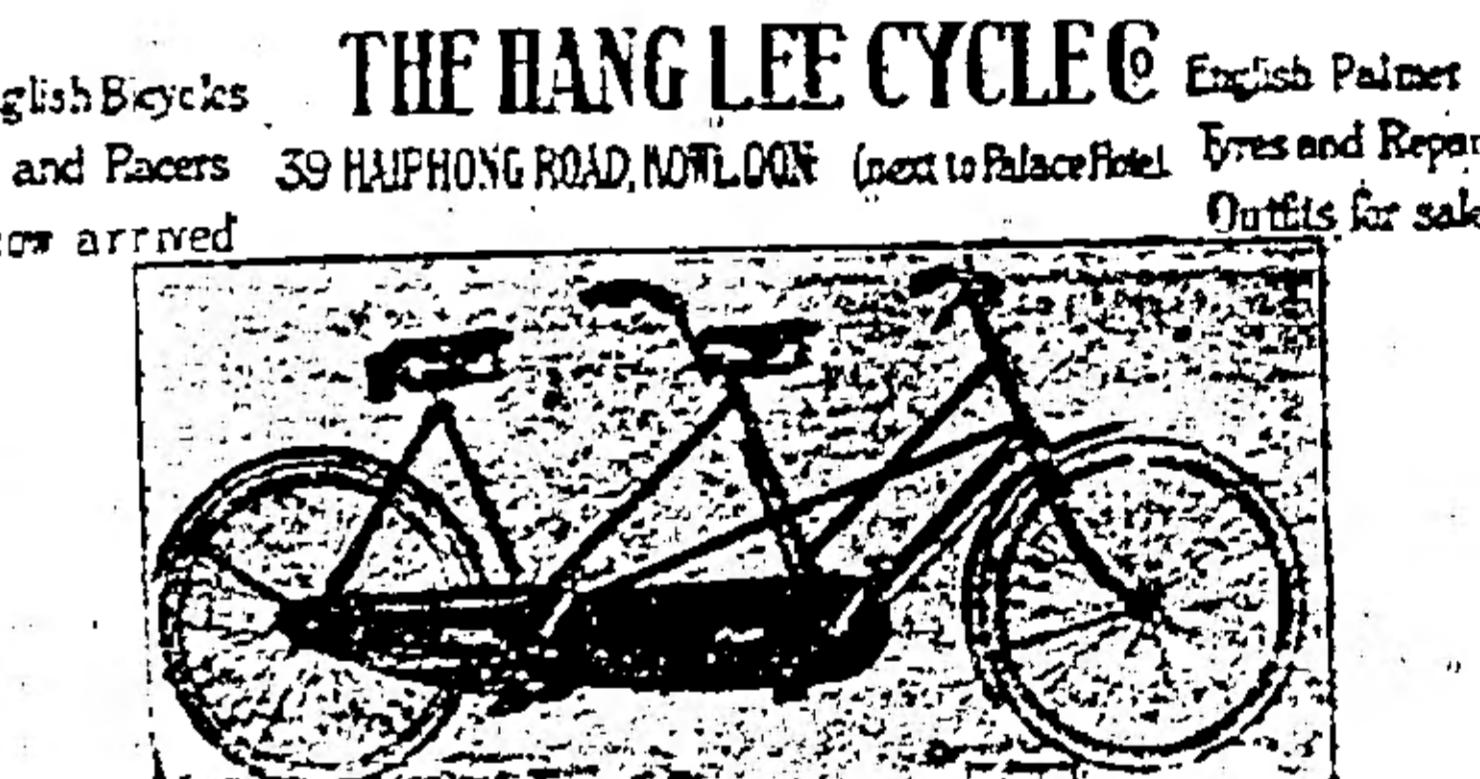
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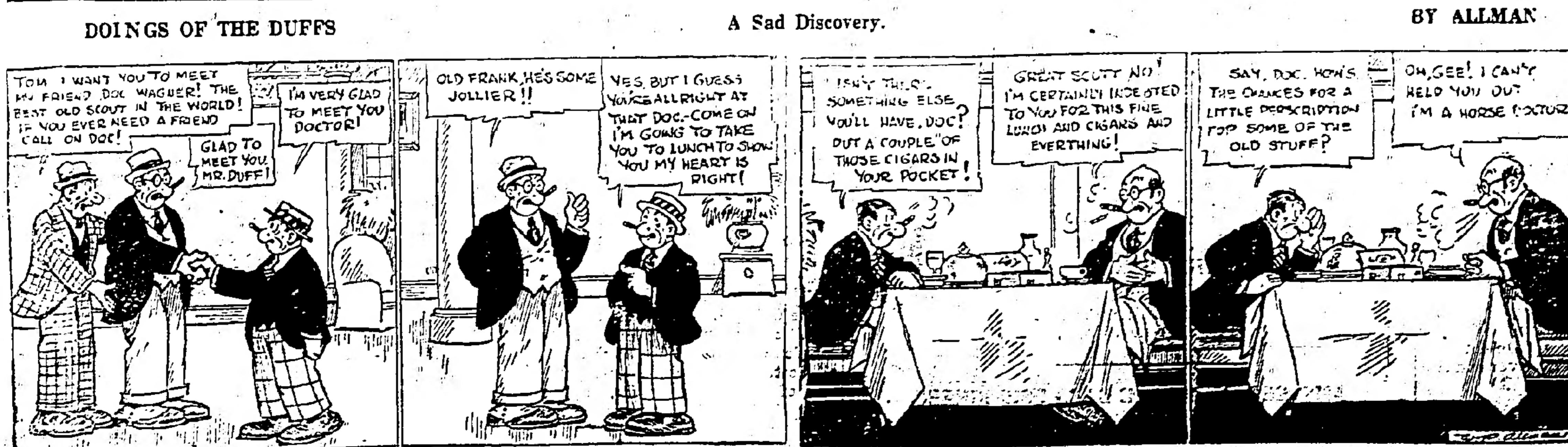
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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

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## THE BRUSSELS CONFERENCE.

Paris, Nov. 30.

It is reported that both Signor Mussolini and M. Poincaré are willing to go to London next week to have a conference with Mr. Bonar Law, as a preliminary to the Brussels Conference.

London, Nov. 30.

It is expected that the Belgian Premier will also attend the projected meeting of the Allied Premiers in London.

## MR. NEWBERRY'S SUCCESSOR.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 30.

Mr. James Couzens, Mayor of Detroit, has been appointed to fill Mr. Newberry's unexpired term in the Senate.

Senator Newberry resigned on November 19, on the ground that the defeat of his Republican colleague at the recent election would make his continued service futile as he would be "continually hampered by partisan political persecution."

## BREEZE IN COURT.

## A Magistrate's Discretion.

There was some heated argument at the Magistracy yesterday afternoon. Mr. H. L. Dennys, defending solicitor, applied for the discharge of his client on the ground that the police, the Government and the prosecuting solicitor had no objections; but the Magistrate refused.

The accused in the case is Wen Ko, a painting contractor. He is alleged to have shot a man in a tea house some time ago. There were two charges against him, one of them for attempted murder.

Mr. A. E. Hall prosecuted on behalf of the complainant, with the permission of the police.

In reply to the Magistrate (Mr. J. R. Wood) Inspector Willis said the police had no objection to the withdrawal of the charge.

In making his application, Mr. Dennys said: "The Captain Superintendent of Police has not objected to the charge being withdrawn. The prosecuting solicitor has read through the statement of the prosecution, and does not feel justified in carrying on. They have asked that the case be withdrawn. Neither the Government nor the prosecuting solicitor is proceeding against the accused, and therefore I can conceive of no reason why he should be put to further expense or damage when the prosecution admits that the man's action was justified. You are asking me to consent to a suggestion that this man be remanded again, although there is no reason for it, your Worship. I am speaking strongly; but never have I heard of a case where the prosecution has withdrawn and the Magistrate suggested without any reason that the man be remanded. It is a proposition which I regret should be put by the Court. I can only ask your Worship to discharge the man or the prosecution had not withdrawn, to call upon the police for their opinion. The man is entitled to record his discharge, and if he does not

get it to-day the necessary steps will be taken."

Mr. Hall Wasn't There.

The Magistrate: Mr. Hall is not here, Mr. Dennys.

Mr. Dennys: He has intimated that he has withdrawn from the case, and has notified me and your Worship.

The Magistrate: Mr. Hall is not here, Mr. Dennys.

Mr. Dennys: He is not to be here. He is not proceeding with the case. He has told your Worship, and his words bind the complainant. Your Worship has to take his word.

The Magistrate: Mr. Hall is not here, Mr. Dennys.

Mr. Dennys interposed again: Because the prosecution is not here, do you mean to say that you are going to damnify the accused?

"Please keep quiet, Mr. Dennys!" ordered his Worship. The Magistrate said that Mr. Hall had not attended, and the next remand would be until ten o'clock to-day, and the bail would be reduced to \$500 (from \$3,000). In the meantime he would instruct Inspector Willis to attend in hospital and take the statement of the wounded man who, according to the doctor's report, could not come to Court until December 11th.

Mr. Dennys again chimed in: I trust your Worship.

The Magistrate ordered him not to interrupt, and continued that when he had seen the wounded man's statement and satisfied himself that the man himself consented to the application for the defendant's discharge, he would then see to it. He could not consent at present unless Mr. Hall was present. He adjourned the case until ten o'clock to-day.

Mr. Dennys: I trust your Worship will register my objection to the remand when the prosecution has withdrawn.

The Magistrate contended that

Worship to discharge the man or

the prosecution had not withdrawn,

to call upon the police for their

opinion. The man is entitled to record.

The Court then rose.

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M. R. Walter J. Hawker, A.C.I.E., has been appointed Secretary of the above Company, as from 1st December, 1922.

By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE, Chairman.

## NOTICE.

THE Bank of Canton, Limited, announces the removal of their office from No. 2 Queen's Road Central to No. 6 Queen's Road Central on the 27th November, 1922.

## HONGKONG BOXING ASSOCIATION.

## FIRST TOURNAMENT OF THE SEASON.

FRIDAY, December 1st, at 9.15 p.m. at the

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THE Committee has decided that the following shall be the Settlement Days for the year, 1923:—

Thursday ..... 25th. January

Monday ..... 26th. February

Tuesday ..... 27th. March

Thursday ..... 26th. April

Monday ..... 28th. May

Tuesday ..... 26th. June

Friday ..... 27th. July

Monday ..... 27th. August

Thursday ..... 27th. September

Friday ..... 25th. October

Tuesday ..... 27th. November

Thursday ..... 20th. December

By Order of the Committee J. W. KEW, Secretary.

Hongkong 28th. November, 1922.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

AN Extra Gymkhana Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, December, 2nd commencing 2.45 p.m. The Charge for admission to the Public will be \$1.—Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their Gymkhana tickets to obtain admission to the Members Enclosure.

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IT is intention of us the undersigned The Hongkong Canton & Macao Steamboat Company Limited to prefer in due course a claim against the Chinese Government through the proper British Authority for the losses sustained by us in connection with the Piracy which took place on the above ship on 13th November 1922, and we shall therefore be prepared to retieve and put forward with our above mentioned claim, claims (which should be made out in detail) by any persons who were on board the above ship when the said piracy took place and who may desire us to do so.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1922.

By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE, Chairman.

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By Order of the Board of Directors, JOHN ARNOLD, Secretary.

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Thursday, Dec. 7th.

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that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Shewan Thomas & Co., the General Managers of the said Company, St. George's Building, Victoria, Hongkong, on Thursday the 14th day of December 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when the abovementioned resolutions will be proposed as ordinary resolutions, viz.—

1. That the authorised Capital of the Company (which is now \$1,000,000 consisting of 200,000 shares of the nominal value of \$5 each the whole of which have been issued) be increased to \$2,000,000 by the creation of 200,000 additional shares of the nominal value of \$5 each ranking (subject as hereinafter mentioned) for dividend, and in all other respects pari passu with the shares constituting the Company's present issued Capital.

2. That the said 200,000 shares be offered in the first instance (in the proportion of one new share for every old share held by them respectively) to the members of the Company who on the 14th day of December 1922 are registered in the Company's Share Register as the holders of the said 200,000 old shares at par and so that the acceptance of the off. the amount due in respect of such 200,000 shares shall be payable in two instalments viz.—The sum of \$2.50 part thereof on the 2nd day of January, 1923 and the sum of \$2.50 the balance thereof on the 1st day of March 1923.

And further that the said 200,000 new shares shall vis-a-vis the said 200,000 old shares only rank for dividend as from the 2nd day of January 1923 in respect of the amount payable thereon on that date and as from the 1st day of March 1923 in respect of the full nominal value thereof.

And that such offer be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted by the member on behalf of himself or his nominees will be deemed to be declined and that the General Managers be at liberty to extend the time for such acceptance to such date or dates as they may think fit in the case of shareholders whose place of address is not in Hongkong. And further that any of the said 200,000 new shares which shall not be taken up by the Company's shareholders in manner aforesaid be disposed of in such manner at such time or times and upon such terms as the Company's General Managers shall in their absolute discretion think fit.

Storage will be assessed on cargo remaining undelivered after Friday 8th Dec. 1922.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages will be landed into the Company's Godown, where same will be examined on Friday 8th Dec. 1922 at 11 a.m.

No claims will be recognised after goods have left the steamer or Godown, and none will be entertained if presented later than three weeks after arrival of steamer.

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Hongkong, 1st Dec., 1922.

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**DEATH.**

GUBBAY.—Gubbay, Raphael Aaron, late Exchange Broker, Hongkong, died at sea on board the s.s. "Nagasaki Maru" on the 27th instant.

**The Telegraph.**

HONGKONG, 1st Dec., 1922.

**RECOGNITION OF RUSSIA.**

Russia, that is the Soviet Government of Russia, has remained "unrecognised" by the Great Powers for quite a long time, and, judging from the tone of recent pronouncements, is likely to be an outsider for some years to come. The nations ostracised the Soviet when they found the Russian revolution meant a new menace to their domestic peace—the creed which has become known as Bolshevism. No country which had its government based on some form of autocracy, or even on an orderly democracy, could be expected to view with any alarm the coming into being of a powerful State in which every possible form of rampant Socialism was being encouraged, and the people were being turned into slaves while imagining themselves the world's really free men. The terrible sufferings that have followed in the wake of this mad experiment are matters of common knowledge. Russia stands to-day a warning to others. Level-headed working-class folk in other countries, while claiming more concessions, and clamouring for the removal of the many galling restrictions that still survive in some lands, have repeatedly repudiated the principles of Russian Bolshevism. But one of the first acts of the Soviet, which immediately antagonised the countries that had been associated with Russia during the war, and also the neutral nations, was a repudiation of all the debts contracted by the Tsarist regime. They were debts of honour, which the Bolshevik dictators did not mean to pay. It meant that one of the mainstays of international relationships had been broken.

There are signs now that the exponents of Bolshevism, who have survived the horrors of the last few years in Russia are very much sadder and distinctly wiser men. The various "trade agreements" which have been signed with other nations, even if nothing concrete has yet been evolved from them, are a notable departure from the old attitude of Sovietism. In one case, there was even grudging consent to reconsider the matter of repaying a portion of the

country's foreign debt. We have met recent travellers through Russia who speak of better organisation, an increased respect for the rights of private ownership of property, and a gradual return to better conditions all round. The Soviet authorities are certainly considerably chastened.

But, and it is a big but, Russia desires recognition by the important nations of the world that she is entitled to "a place in the sun" along with the best of them. She is giving trouble already in the Near East, and more trouble is to be expected of her in other directions. The question of whether or not she can be taken up again in international society is a very serious one for the Powers, and we fear there is very little prospect of the ban being removed. The views of the other important nations on the subject are almost identical, and Britain's conditions for recognition of the Soviet, stated by the Premier two days ago in the House of Commons, leave no doubt that radical reform in the present Soviet policy will be necessary before there can be any change of attitude. There must be restitution of property, recognition of debts, and cessation of propaganda. A stiff dose for Russia to swallow all at once, but capable of being negotiated by degrees. How long that will take nobody can tell at present. We can only hope that the time will come, before many more years have passed, when Russia will once more sit in international councils as an equal; but we are not very optimistic, all the same.

**For Holiday-Makers.**

Residents of this Colony get all too few opportunities to acquaint themselves with neighbouring localities. The general experience of the majority of those who come to Hongkong is to remain in the Colony until due for Home leave, save for an occasional trip to Canton or Macao. To most of us, the beauties of Baguio or the charms of Indo-China, for example, are closed books. Yet both places are within easy reach of Hongkong and could be made the venue of happy holidays to those who could manage to get away for, say, a month or so. We open these few lines because there will in the near future be special inducements for Hongkong residents to visit Hanoi and Manila. At the former place, a big Fair and Exhibition are to be held, lasting from December 17th. to 31st., and special plans have been made to attract visitors to the city, for whom no end of amusement is promised. Then in February, from the 3rd. to the 11th., there will be the yearly Carnival at Manila, which is to include a Commercial and Industrial Fair; and here also the organisers are keen on getting parties of visitors to enjoy the fun and at the same time to become acquainted with the Philippines Islands. For those who have the time and money, these events should prove a pleasant and beneficial break in the daily round of life in a Colony where we get all too little in the way of change.

**Passage Rates.**

Residents due for leave in the coming spring will be interested in the announcement made yesterday to the effect that the P. and O. Company has decided to reduce its rates of passage money: a first-class passage to London formerly cost £145, but this is now reduced by £26; whilst a round £20 has been knocked off the second-class fare, which has hitherto stood at £106. These revisions will be welcomed by those who have already booked by P. and O. or have been contemplating doing so. Reckoned in sterling, they represent a considerable concession, though, unhappily, they come at a time when the exchange value of the dollar is dropping. However, these are days when we must learn to feel thankful for small mercies. The good old times, when one could reckon on getting Home and back for what it now costs to make the single trip, are gone—and gone for ever, we fear. The tendency is towards higher costs all the time, in all spheres,

**DAY BY DAY.**

RELIGION ATTRACTS: THE CHURCH REPELS.—The Archbishop of York.

There was a clean bill of health in the Colony yesterday.

Men-of-war in port dressed ship to-day in honour of Queen Alexandra's 78th birthday.

The numerous friends of the Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins, who is lying ill at the Peak Hospital, will be gratified to hear that he is much better to-day.

November was a very dry month in Hongkong—barring last night! Slight rain fell only on three days, according to the Botanic Gardens record, and the total fall was little more than half an inch.

Mr. J. H. B. Smith, of the *Peiping Gazette*, has left for Rangoon, where he will catch the Henderson liner home. When he returns to Peiping next year he will join the editorial staff of the *Straits Echo*.

Booking opened briskly at Moutier's this morning for the A.D.C.'s Christmas production of "The Tempest." Those desirous of securing good seats are advised to make their reservations without delay.

A band to give lectures on hygiene is being organized under the auspices of the Canton City Health Department. Many prominent doctors and educationists have been engaged by the Health Commissioner to render service to the city.

The American community at Canton celebrated Thanksgiving Day by holding a service and a picnic at Canton Christian College. The Rev. Dr. C. A. Nelson, one of the oldest missionaries in Canton in point of service, was the chief speaker.

Last month, on his return from leave in Portugal, Father Braganca was called to Macao to consult with the new Bishop of the Diocese, D. Jose Castro Nunes. It is now learnt that he is not returning to Singapore as he has been appointed Professor of English at the Macao College.

The Red Club, composed mostly of returned students, is giving its second art exhibition at the First Public Park of Canton. The exhibits are of water colours and oil paintings. They are considered the best ever shown in Canton. Most of the artists have studied in the best European and American schools of art.

The ferry launches of Chung Sham Ferry Company plying along the north and south banks of Canton stopped service last evening when the sailors and boatswains went out on strike demanding higher wages and better conditions. The company's officers stated last evening that they had not been given sufficient notice before the men left their work.

In the Singapore Court of Appeal on November 21st, the conviction of Reginald McLean Roberts, formerly a divisional manager on Devon Estate, at Jasmin, Malacca, on charges of causing grievous hurt to an Indian labourer named Veerasamy, and the sentence of four months' rigorous imprisonment, were upheld. Mr. Justice Whitley describing the case as "the most callous and brutal he had known in 26 years' experience."

To-morrow's picture page will include group photographs taken at the weddings of Mr. L. F. Townsend and Miss Jessie C. McBean, and Mr. F. A. Nixon and Miss Jessie Finch; a photo of the new organ at the Catholic Cathedral; a portrait of last night's "Chieftain," the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen; a photograph of Mr. A. J. Omond, who has just made Hongkong's record billiards break; and photographs of China's latest Premier and King George of Greece, on whom trouble seems already to have fallen.

and, remembering that, those affected by these revised passage rates will no doubt feel appropriately grateful. But at the same time they will assuredly have their regrets that it costs so many hard-earned dollars as it still does to secure the needed benefits of a holiday at Home.

**SHOOTING INCIDENT.****Contractor Discharged.**

The case of Wen Ko, the painting contractor who shot and wounded a man at a teahouse in Queen's Road Central some time ago, was withdrawn at the Police Court this morning. When the case came up before Mr. J. R. Wood yesterday afternoon, an application to this end was made, but owing to the fact that Mr. A. E. Hall, representing the prosecution, was not present to identify himself with the application, his Worship, after a heated argument with the defending solicitor, Mr. H. B. L. Denny, refused to make the order for the man's discharge, but adjourned the case until this morning. What transpired during the argument yesterday is reported elsewhere in this issue. We give below the proceedings in the Court this morning.

There were present Mr. A. E. Hall, Mr. H. B. L. Denny, the Captain Superintendent of Police (Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe) who presided in the first instance, and Inspector Willis, in charge of the case.

His Worship:—Mr. Hall, have you any evidence to offer against the defendant?

Mr. Hall:—Your Worship, I have no instructions to proceed further against the defendant.

His Worship:—You are withdrawing from the case?

Mr. Hall:—Yes.

His Worship:—Mr. Wolfe, have you seen the statement made by complainant?

The C.S.P.:—Yes.

His Worship:—You have? Then what do you propose to do?

The C.S.P.:—I do not propose to offer any evidence.

The Magistrate (to the defendant):—Then you are discharged.

**THE GYMKHANA.****Tips for To-morrow.****(BY "WIRELESS".)**

The following are tips for tomorrow's Extra Gymkhana:—Hamilton Hurdle Race (about 4 furlongs).—Repulse Bay Chief, Apache Scout, Hurry-on.

"A" Class, Handicap (3/4 mile).—Roman Pride, Hurry-up, West River.

The St. Andrew's Stakes (1 1/4 miles).—Roman Consul, Spotted Sand, Mosaic Tile.

"B" Class Handicap (3/4 mile).—Shining Star on Norwood, New Year Gift.

The Trossachs Trot.—Your own fancy.

Dumfries Debris (1/2 mile).—Roman Warrior, Apache Scout, Knockhuk Leg.

Portobello Purse (1 1/4 miles).—Rialto Star, Pawnshop, Navajo Scout.

I have tipped Roman Consul to win in the St. Andrew's Stakes as this pony has won some long distance events in Shanghai. Spotted Sand has done good times during the training, but he has never been out in a 1 1/4 Mile Race and I doubt whether he can last the distance, owing to his old age.

**CRICKET.**

The following will represent the Hongkong Cricket Club 2nd XI versus Indian Recreation Club "A" on Saturday on the Cricket ground at 2.15 p.m. sharp:—W. Brackenridge, E. Grimble, H. E. Hollands, L. D. McNicoll, A. E. Mackenzie, M. M. Watson, C. D. Reid, H. Remington, B. Crowley, F. H. Pentycross, and E. W. Alderson.

The following will represent the K.C.C. in a friendly match against Craigengower on the K.C.C. ground at 2.15 p.m. on Saturday.—B. D. Evans, C. I. Stapleton, R. Festonji, C. C. Dance, G. A. V. Hall, R. E. Lindsell, S. Jex, S. E. Green, H. H. Benson, L. A. H. Duncan and Dr. Smalley.

**FOOTBALL.**

The following team will represent the Club in their League game with the R.G.A. on Saturday.—Rodger, Gerard, Bishop, McPhail (Capt.), Stewart, Donovan, McTavish, Forsyth, Begg, Valentine and England.

**GIRL GUIDES AND BROWNIES.****An Enjoyable Entertainment.**

An excellent entertainment was given by the 1st, Wanchai Troops of Girl Guides and Brownies on Wednesday evening, at the Wesleyan Sailors' and Soldiers' Home in connection with the Wesley Guild. The programme included the following items:—Pianoforte solo, "The Pearl of the Orient," Miss Daphne Nichol; "Welcome" by the Brownies; duet, "Where are you going, my pretty maid?"; Misses A. Steel and D. Smith; recitation, "Dolly's Dressmaker," Miss L. Chue; Brownie's Chorus, "What shall I buy my dolly?"; recitation, "The Goblin," Miss Glendinning; duet, in character, Misses McEwan and A. Steel; Brownie's Chorus, "What are little girls made of?"; Brownie's Game, "When I was a lady"; Pianoforte Solo, Miss Foulds; song, "The camp fire," Miss M. Hansen; First-Aid, display of Life-saving in case of drowning, 1st Wanchai Troop of Girl Guides. The Scoutmaster of the Wanchai Troop of Boy Scouts, Mr. A. Kirk, presided. A pioneer of the present important development of the Scout movement in the colony, Mr. Kirk showed his sympathy with a similar development of the Guides. The 1st Wanchai Troop of Guides and Brownies had been in existence for nearly two years and is, we understand, the earliest successful experiment in Hongkong. Mrs. C. Clouston Pott, is to be heartily congratulated on the result of her work. The realistic display of life-saving in the case of drowning which was followed with great interest, showed the practical value of the training given to the Guides.

The Troop of Brownies under the leadership of Mrs. Luck proved the attraction of the evening. The songs, recitations and choruses were loudly applauded by the large audience present and reflected great credit upon the able and versatile leader, Mrs. Luck.

**CANTON NEWS.****Secret Recruiting.**

Our Canton correspondent states that a secret organisation for recruiting soldiers has been discovered by General Chan Wing-son, who has had six men arrested. These men have confessed that they have been appointed by Commander Li Fook-lum in Fukien to raise citizen soldiers in Kwangtung. General Chan King-ming and the Civil Governor have concurred in the proposal that the Government should vote \$3,000 to the fund of the erection of a bronze statue to the late Dr. Wu Ting-fang. Another scheme for the reform of the currency was submitted the other day by the Canton Government to the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce. The merchants included in that body were asked to take in, at the ruling market price, notes of the face value of \$5,000,000, in return for which the Government would transfer into their possession public properties of the value of \$3,000,000. The Chamber was expected to recoup itself on the deal by selling out these properties at the highest price they could get. This scheme, it was expected, would bring down the discount to a little less than 40 per cent.

Very little has been heard of the Women's Association which established itself in Canton a few months ago to introduce equal rights for women in the administration of the Province. Late, however, the body has shown renewed signs of activity and we read that a more energetic campaign than heretofore will be carried out to achieve the results desired. The Women's National Association at Peking has sent a communication asking that the Canton body join in the national movement, as represented by the older association, and that they should organise as a branch similar to those already established in other provinces.

**"SUI AN" ENQUIRY.**

We learn that the first sitting of the Sui An Piracy Commission will be held on Monday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. in the Council Chamber, when witnesses will be publicly examined.

## DAY BY DAY.

## TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

## OVERDUE.

"Here We Are Again."

It seems to have been overlooked that if the ban against vessels containing alcoholic liquor is maintained, to ship of a foreign navy will be able to visit any port of the United States. There is no dry navy except that which sails under the Stars and Stripes. Our own Navy retains the rum ration as much as in Nelson's day, but there is a very sensible arrangement by which a man who does not care for rum may have its equivalent in money. In the French and Italian Fleets wine is supplied to all ranks, and the Japanese, oddly enough, give beer instead of the native sake.

No ship, whether it is a warship or of the mercantile marine, but has some variety of liquor on board. Even the almost obsolete windjammer carries a supply of spirits for the "old man" and his mates. It is a difficult question anyhow, but a solution may be found in the comprehensive term "medical comforts," under which alcohol may now be consumed in the dry continent.

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One important effect of the dissolution of the late Parliament is the reduction in numbers of members of the House through the disappearance from Westminster of the Southern Irish members.

So has ended a curious epoch in political history; and it is to be hoped that an historian will give us, with as little delay as possible, a history of the Irish membership from the Union down to the passage of the new Constitution. A good many people have written of the Irish at Westminster from one point of view or another, but there has been no complete history, and the mixture of comedy and tragedy involved should make a very readable book.

Especially in the last fifty years Irishmen have counted in the life of Westminster. There were episodes earlier, such as the Disraeli-O'Connell imbroglio and the Althorp-Sheil affair, but it was only in the seventies that the Irish became formidable as an organised party, and the years that followed were rich in Parliamentary anecdote.

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Before the sudden death in October of Mr. Isaac Guggenheim his firm consisted of seven brothers, and in that respect was apparently unique among business firms in Britain. Even the Rothschilds, whose various representatives have worked harmoniously together for nearly a century and a half, never had more than five brothers in partnership at one time. The nearest approach to the Guggenheim record is that of the six brothers who in 1856 started the Morgan Crucible Works at Battersea—the first in England to make platinum crucible—and subsequently founded two leading trading houses, "The Ironmonger" and "The Chemist and Druggist." Sir Walter Vaughan Morgan, the youngest of the brothers, relates that he was chief cashier at the Manchester branch of the National Provincial Bank when his elder brothers induced him to resign and join them in business in London. The partnership was unbroken until 1886, when death removed one of the brothers, and each of the remaining brothers remained in the firm until his death.

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There seem to be many earnest students of politics who are anxious to reform the House of Commons. First, a correspondent urged that there should be no members of Parliament under 40 years of age, and now comes the suggestion that every M.P. should have to pass a qualifying examination. Perhaps the latter suggestion would meet with the stiffest opposition. But the desirability of such an examination has been urged before. John Stuart Mill was in favour of such an examination, and in 1859 Joseph Livesey, then member for Preston, asked the House to make an educational test compulsory for new members. Livesey's proposal found only a handful of supporters. Shortly afterwards the Prince Consort sent Lord Derby the papers which the Duke of Edinburgh had been set when he passed as a naval cadet. When returning them the Prince Minister wrote: "As I looked over the papers, I could not but feel grateful that no such examination was necessary to qualify her Majesty's Ministers for their office, as it would seriously increase the difficulties of forming an administration."

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Despite frequent police prosecution, gambling is going on in the Settlement with great vigour, the fines imposed by the Mixed Court being, in the opinion of the better element among the Chinese, not much of a deterrent. In the alleys and by-ways in the vicinity of Boone and North Szechuen Roads, gambling proceeds pretty freely, and not infrequently fights amongst gamblers cause neighbours to invoke the use of the police whistle.

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## SHANGHAI GAMBLING ACTIVITIES.

"Cricket Fighting" One of the Games.

One of the numerous forms of gambling indulged in by Chinese gamblers is cricket fighting or, as they would have it, "Autumn game," says the *Shanghai Mercury*.

Each player brings with him to the scene of action his own cricket which is invariably well-trained insect, and which goes into the business with as much excitement and enthusiasm as its owner. The game is one of the forms of gambling prohibited by the laws of the country to which, however, many of the gamblers pay no heed. The stakes, of course, depend on the earning capacity of those indulging in the game but, compared with other forms of gambling, they are high.

So far as is known, there are two places in the Settlement where cricket fighting is carried on—one is located in an alleyway off Canton Road and the other in the vicinity of Thibet and Bubbling Well Roads junction. The gamblers attend at the former place in the morning, transferring their activities to the latter in the evening.

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## TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

## OVERDUE.

"Here We Are Again."

Sea monsters, which are reported to be from forty to sixty feet long, have attacked boats engaged in fishing out of the British Harbour, Trinity Bay, and fishermen are afraid to go on the grounds.

It had to be. No year could fitly end.

And leave this classic fairy tale unstated.

Tis he at last—our ancient, annual friend.

The serpent of the sea! But how belated!

July dragged on and still he did not come.

(Perhaps he didn't like the beastly weather);

August arrived and still the scribes were dumb;

But now he comes—whole lots of him together!

Lo, the poor serpent, whose untutored-mind.

Deceived by—is it Luke's or Martin's?—summer.

Peradavis him to appear at last—tad

For him no mortal prospect could be gummier!

This trick while August lingers should be done;

It now too plainly lacks all rhyme and reason—

The sun may shine, but no October sun

Can reinstate a vanished Silly Season.

Our luckless friend has caught the very slump—

This is no time to seek his annual mention.

While men of State remount their autumn stump

And claim men's undivided, sole attention.

The serpent's fearsome tale is idle bounce—

Who cares for this belated apparition.

What time the Wizard rises to announce

The war (or death) song of his Coalition?

Lucio, in the *Manchester Guardian*.

## ATTACK ON LADY IN BURMA.

A dastardly assault on a European lady travelling alone in a second class carriage on a night train from Rangoon to Prome was recently committed, it is stated, by a Burman who got in from the lavatory and subsequently jumped off the train. The lady was found in an almost unconscious condition. Her face was battered and bleeding. The police were informed at the next station and subsequently an ex-constable was arrested in Paungde Hospital whose injuries were believed to be due to jumping off from a running train.

## THE CLAN OF "SMITH."

Leads All Others in Numbers

"No name stands so high an, unchallengeable as the name of Smith," said Lord Birkenhead in a recent speech at a gathering of the After-Dinner Club. Moreover, the Smiths are increasing at a greater rate than the members of any other family. In the commercial section of the current London Directory the Smiths fill eighteen and a half columns to the Joneses ten and the Browns nine and a half. Next comes the Williamses with eight columns, the Wilsons with five and a half, the Evanses with five and the Robins with four. Of the many Macs in London the most numerous are the Macdonalds, with the Mackenzies next.

In the United States also the Smiths predominate largely over all other clans. A report issued three years ago by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance states that "there were enough men of the name of Smith who joined the American army during the war to make up fifteen regiments;" also that "the Johnsons made up eleven regiments, the Browns eight and there were seven regiments of Williamses, Joneses, and Millers." The corresponding proportion of the commoner surnames is approximately as follows:

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Brown	8	10
Jones	7	12
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## BRITAIN'S PREMIERS.

## A Record Of Their Fate.

Mr. Lloyd George's grief at having to resign, written correspondent to the *Manchester Guardian*, might be tempered by the reflection that his fate is better than that of many of his predecessors as set out in a "Short History of the Prime Ministers in Great Britain," published in 1733.

This concludes with a tabular statement prepared for the benefit of any "reader desirous to behold at one view the diverse casualties of the sundry Prime Ministers above mentioned." Dy'd by the halter ... 3  
Dit by the axe ... 10  
Dit by sturdy beggars ... 3  
Dit untimely by private hands ... 2  
Dit in imprisonment ... 4  
Dit in exile ... 4  
Dit peccite ... 1  
Saved by sacrificing their master ... 1  
Sum total of Prime Ministers ... 28  
Lest such an appalling record should deter any present-day statesman from accepting high office (adds our correspondent) I

## NEW "CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE."

A huge obelisk, 162 feet in length, that is, more than twice as high as the obelisk in the Place de la Concorde, has been discovered by M. Engelbach, of the Service of Antiquities in Egypt, at Assouan. A funeral chamber, with painted walls, and containing a large sarcophagus, has been opened up at Segezrah, while a burial place for wolves, worshipped as deities in the province of Assouan, has also been unearthed.—Reuter.

Cleopatra's Needle, on the Thames Embankment, is 69 feet high.

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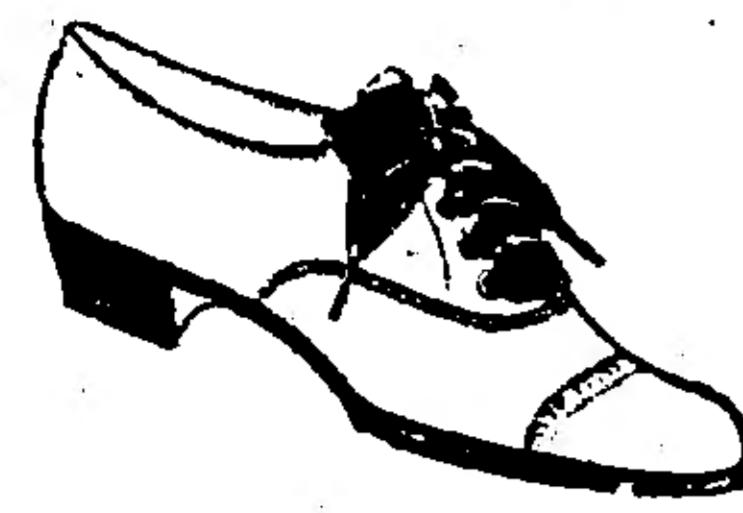
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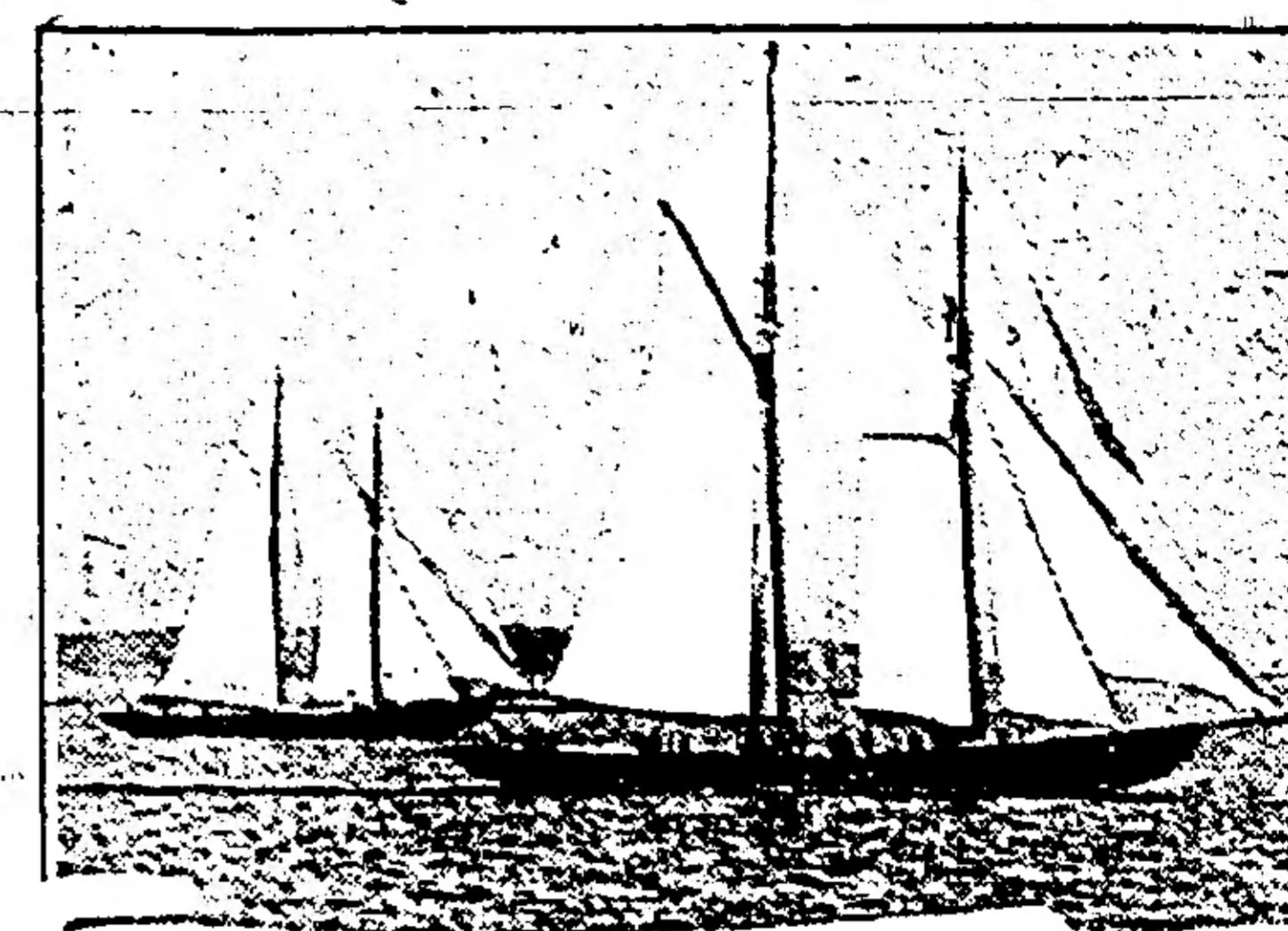
## CAMERA NEWS.



A member of the Georgia football team sails through the air while hostile hands reach up to pull him down. This was taken in the game against the U.S. Navy.



Siegfried Wagner, son of the famous German composer, who is visiting America to gain the support of American admirers of Wagner towards a celebration to be held in Germany in honour of the great musician.



Here's the start of the race between the Canadian Bluenose and the Henry Ford, American entry, off Gloucester, Mass. The Henry Ford (right) won. Captains of both fishing schooners considered it a race, but officials declared it "no race" since the skippers disregarded a signal to return after the start.



Susanne Koerner, who was the only woman in the recent six-day motor-cycle race at the Berlin motor-drome.



Princess Daisy of Pless, who has separated officially from her husband, a member of one of the oldest noble families in Germany.



From president to messenger all members of the staff of the U.S. Women's Party are feminine, in accordance with the stipulations of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont when she donated the party headquarters in Washington. Here is Julia Ober, messenger.



Photo shows Mr. and Mrs. Edison in front of the model of the first Edison factory, just after the great inventor had unveiled it, at the Historical Exhibition in the New York Electrical Show.



The monoplane T-2, in which Lieuts. John A. Macready and Oakley Kelley of the U.S. Army Air Service, established a new world record for continuous flight, when they landed at Rockwell Field, San Diego, after being in the air over that city for 35 hours 13 minutes and 30 seconds.

Queen Elizabeth, the beautiful wife of King George, of Greece.

## TO-DAY'S SHARE QUOTATIONS.

	Stock Exchange.	Sharebrokers' Association.
	Banks.	
H.K. & S. Bank	b. 940 sa. 945	n. 945
" 535 paid	n. 1043	n. 105
Bank of E. Asia	n. 211 sa. 213	b. 211 sa. 212
Cantons	b. 470	b. 473
North Chinas	n. 8131	n. 140
Unions	b. 25	b. 25
Yangtzees		
Fire Insurances.	b. 116	b. 117
China Fires	b. 430	b. 430
H.K. Fires		
Douglas	s. 53	s. 53
H.K. Steamboats	b. sa. 3134	s. 3245
Indos (Pref)	b. 3512	n. 35
Indo Def. Land Reg.	b. 242	
Indo Def. H.K. Reg.	b. 243	n. 220
Shells	n. 8376	b. 867
Ferriss	b. 40	n. 41
Refineries.		
Sugars	n. 152	n. 154
Malabens	b. 474	b. 46
Kallans	n. 607	n. 647
Langkangs		
Shanghai Leans	b. 1834	b. 1834 sa. 1734
Shai Explorations	b. 634 sa. 7	b. 630 sa. 7
Raubs	b. 23	
Tronches	n. 127	
Jral Caspian		
Beaufort Con	b. P. 210	
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.		
H.K. Wharves	b. 171 sa. 1693	b. 170
K. Docks	b. 186	s. 185
Shai Docks	b. 9616	b. 95 s. 98
Engineering	n. \$8.60	s. 834
Shai Honkew	n. 191	
Lands, Hotels & Buildings.		
Centrals	b. 2124	b. 209
H.K. Hotels Old	n. 30	Old sa. 234
New	b. 2442	New s. 24
H.K. Lands	b. 266	b. 265 sa. 266
H. Phreys Est	b. 17 sa. 173	s. 18
K. Loon Lands	b. 61	b. 62
L. Reclamations	b. 2073	b. 207
Iwes	n. 13.80	n. 1345
Orientals	n. 9.90	b. 9.90
Shai Cottons	n. 125	b. 125
Miscellaneous.	b. 2034 sa. 21	b. 1634 sa. 1645
Cements	b. 23	b. 23 sa. 22.85
China Light old	b. 1634 sa. 1644	b. 1634 sa. 1645
China Light new		
China Previdents	b. 23	b. 23
Dairy Farms	b. 37	
Electric H.K.	Old b. 2442 New sa. 2443 Old n. 24 New n. 23	
Electric Macao	b. 37	
Hongkong Ropes	b. 58	s. 40
H.K. Tramways	b. 1734	s. 17.60
Peak Trams, old	b. 104	b. 104
Do. new	b. 1	b. 124
Steam Laundrys	n. 124	s. 124
Steel Foundries	b. 174	s. 18
Water-boat	b. 134	s. 134
Watsons		
Wm. Powells	b. 18	
Wiemans		
Crawfords	b. 20	b. 20
Canton Ices	b. 84	b. 84
Nanyang Tob.	b. 224	b. 224
Sinceres		
H.K. Constructions	b. 34 sa. 3.10	
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## B. Sc. TECH.

## RENT RESTRICTION.

## New Dyemakers' Degree.

The degree of "Bachelor in Colour Chemistry" has been created at Manchester College of Technology.

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"Students are being encouraged to carry out some of their experiments in miniature plant because, although at the moment the dyestuffs industry is staffed to capacity, now research workers will be needed as it develops."

## CLERICAL INCOMES.

## The Question of Maintenance.

There has been a great improvement in the last three years in increasing the stipends of the clergy, writes a correspondent to the *Manchester Guardian*.

In the diocese of Winchester the annual income permanently secured to parishes has been increased by £10,000. The Bishop of St. Albans has been devoting considerable attention to this question, and has discovered that in one of his rural deaneries the increase in the permanent stipends of the clergy amounts to over 30 per cent, and in another rural deanery to over 18 per cent—useful, though small in relation to the general advance of ordinary salaries.

It is understood that similar increases have been carried out in other parts, as is shown by the fact that diocesan boards of finance in the last year of which there is an official record spent

## Continued in Britain.

The Rent Restriction Act Committee at Home, on Oct. 20th, issued an interim report that, in their opinion—

The protection of tenants against eviction and unreasonable increases of rent should not be withdrawn when the Act expires in June 1923.

But reconsideration should be given to the position of owners of one house who are unable to secure possession for their own occupation.

Other points are that the continuance of protection for sub-tenants and proved undesirable tenants should be reconsidered.

The committee published the interim statement: "In view of the widespread anxiety regarding the future of the Act,"

A more detailed report is to be published later.

Ten members of the committee have signed the recommendations and three have abstained. They have been sitting since July 25.

no less than £192,427 on this object. In addition, it is estimated that at the same time the Ecclesiastical Commissioners gave grants amounting to £287,700.

These large sums leave out of account Easter offerings and special funds raised by individual parishes in order to assist poor clergy. In fact, for the year 1920 the total amount spent to increase clergy maintenance was approximately three-quarters of a million, and the returns for last year, as far as they are available, indicate a similar expansion.

These facts are sometimes forgotten by those who look at Church finance and see the difficult position in which the central fund at present finds itself. They indicate that maintenance of the clergy, which has become a diocesan matter, has at last been given the necessary attention.

## SHIPPING NEWS.

The following local shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to noon to-day.

## Vessels Arrived.

Vessel	Agents	From	Meeting
Changra	Hing Lee & Co.	Haikow	045
Po Lo	A.P.C.	Kwong Chow Wan	C's Whf.
Union			Kow. Whf.
Undan	B & S	Balikpapan via S'port	B 9
Szechuan		Canton	Naval Buoy
Talibayus		Vancouver via Fuchien	B 11
Kwangchow	O S K	Bangkok via Swallow	C's Whf.
Amakura M.		Kwang via Swallow	
Sohu M.	Man Wing	Takao via Swallow	B 13
Haitan	Yue Woo	Hampang via Hukow	B 45
Saichow	J M & Co.	Swallow	C 33
Obong Shin		Canton	C 33
Obong Shin	Jade	Hainan via Pakho	C 33
Van Cloon	J C J L	Dal via S'port	Kow. Whf.
Pearia M.	T K K	Port of Dairen	A 3
Hirano M.	Suzuki & Co.	Kwang	O 45
Hok Canton	Hang On	Port Bayard	C's Whf.

## Clearances.

Vessel	Agents	Where Bound	Departure
Tjatjat	J C J L	Balikpapan	30th Nov.
Sohu M.	O S K	Canton	
Uwajima M.	T K K	Takao	1st Dec.
Leung Ngan Sang		Hainan via Singapore	
Democedes	B & S	Galway via Singapore	
Kamchi M.	N Y K	Borneo Aries via S'port	
Changra	Hing Lee & Co.	Quinhon via Hukow	
Poos Tong	C & Clarke	Bangkok	2nd Dec.
Sachae	B & S	Taungtaw via Shanghai	
Chong Shing	J M & Co.	Tientsin	

## Impending Departures.

(Compiled from our Shipping Advertisements.)

Vessel	Agents	Destination	Sailing Date
Szechuan	B & S	Tingtao	2nd Dec.
Peria M.	T K K	Scarabaya	2nd
Chengtung	J M & Co.	Tieotin	2nd
Gigerry	S & B	Hamburg	2nd
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Tatsang	J M & Co.	Shanghai	3rd
Shensi	B & S	Pakow	4th
Tsao M.	B & S	Japan	4th
Pyrhus	A. Line	Antwerp	4th
Jackson	P & O	Shanghai	4th
Sicilia	P & O	Japan	4th
Plaza	D & C	Shanghai	4th
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Tateno M.	Hori M.	Singapore	7th
Horai M.	Tsai M.	Shanghai	7th
Yukio M.	J C J L	Macassar	8th
Asperior	J C J L	Bremen	8th
Onderick	D & C	Foochow	8th
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Pearnia	B & S		

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Pyrrhus	B & S	Shanghai	2nd
Elpenor	B & S	Liverpool	3rd
Tosa M.	N Y K	Calcutta	3rd
Plaza	P & O	Singapore	3rd
Steria Morena	B C Co.	Hamburg	3rd
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Bendoran	G L & Co.	Singapore	6th
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"City of Simla" ... Mid. March.

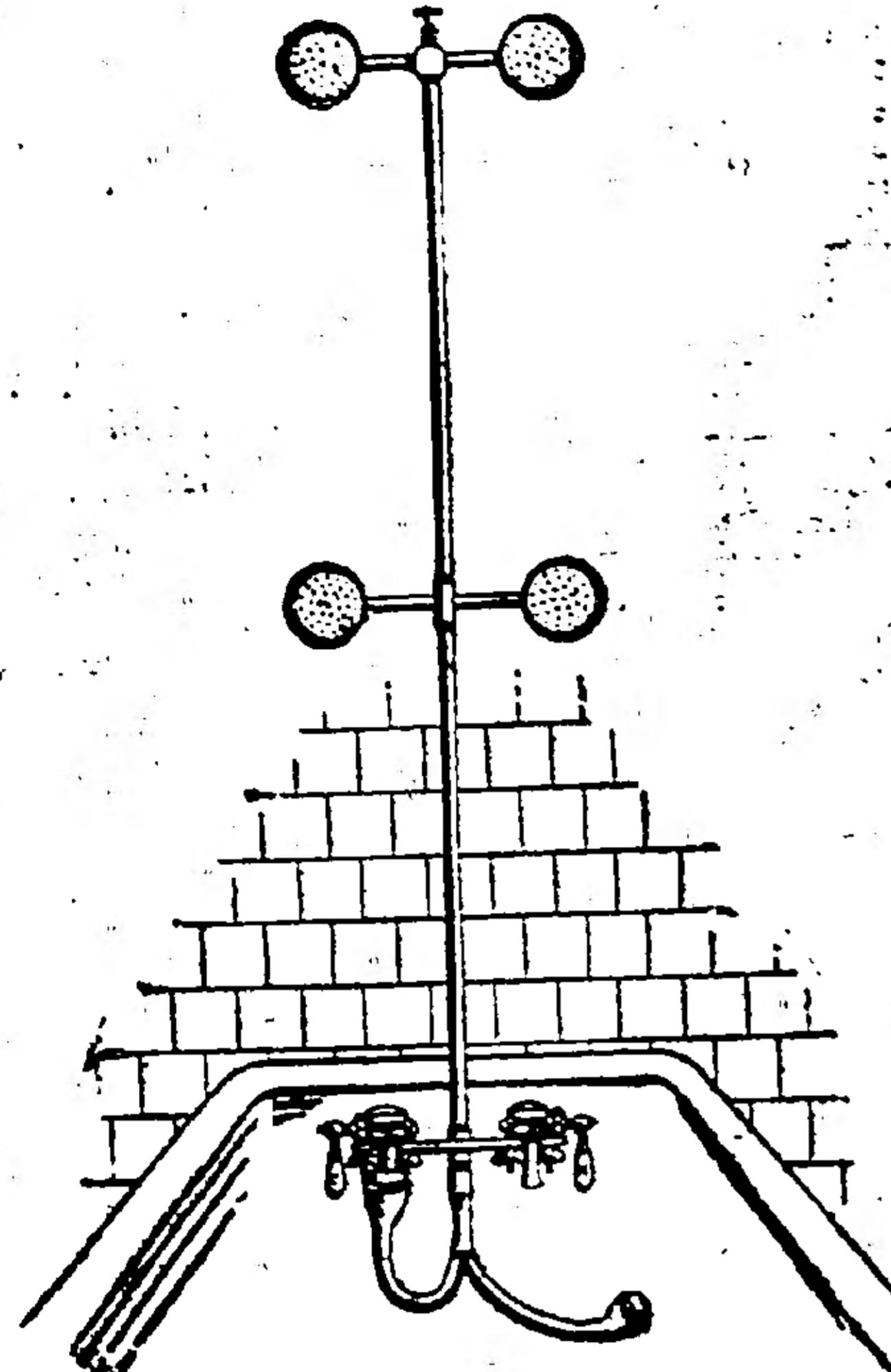
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## PHILIPPINES COAL.

Question of Protective Tariff. At the suggestion of the board of directors of the National Coal Company, it was learned on Nov. 23rd, the officials of the Kaitan Mining administration, represented here by Joseph F. Gargan and for which the Pacific Commercial Company is agent, are considering the lease of the Mindanao properties of the company together with the improvements that have been made upon them, reports the *Manila Daily Bulletin*.

It is understood that the position now being considered might result in the taking over by the Kaitan interests for operation all of the properties of the National Coal Company on a lease basis, but negotiations have not as yet reached a point where this is certain.

From government sources it was learned that if the deal should go through covering all of the properties, the National Coal company as it now exists would probably be dissolved.

## HIGHER TARIFF URGED.

Higher tariff on imported coal and use of the revenues thus derived in paying a subsidy to the companies producing Philippine coal and further development of the Mindanao coal fields were suggested by the board of directors of the coal company in its report to the government and stockholders, released on Nov. 23rd.

The board believes that if conditions exist which render accomplishment of the suggestions impossible, that the National Coal Company should cease operations and liquidation proceedings be inaugurated.

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## KOREAN NOVEL TRANSLATED.

The Rev. J. Scarth Gale, who has lived in Korea for thirty years, and is an authority on the literature of that country, has translated a Korean novel on polygamy, written in the seventeenth century by Kim Man-Choong, afterwards Prince Moonhyo. The story entitled "The Cloud Dream of the Nine," the scene of which is laid

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## WEATHER REPORT.

Dec. 1d. 11h. 15m.—Pressure has decreased moderately at Weihsien and slightly at Vladivostock. It has increased slightly from Shanghai to Tokyo and is nearly stationary in southern districts.

The northern anticyclone has moved eastward, leaving a separate anticyclone central over the lower Yangtze Valley.

Fresh to strong monsoon may be expected along the S.E. coast of China and over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.0 inch. Total since January 1st, 63.70 inches, against an average of 81.95 inches.

## FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.

District Forecast.

1 Formosa Channel N.E. winds, strong.

2 South coast of China between H.K. &amp; Lantau. N.E. winds,

3 Hongkong to Gap Rock..... fresh; cloudy.

4 South coast of China between H.K. &amp; Hainan. at first, fine later.

5 T. F. CLAXTON, Director.

H.K. Observatory, Dec. 1, 1922.

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N. LUND, Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 1, 1922.

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M. E. V. AIREY, Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 30, 1922.

m. morning a. afternoon

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